

I am strongly opposed to any legislation that will diminish the effectiveness of individual state laws that place a prohibition on telephone solicitation to private telephones where the person who pays for telephone service has requested not to receive solicitation calls.

Since the implementation of Indiana's Telephone Privacy law my family has been able to enjoy many uninterrupted dinners as well as family time in the evening as a result of my being able to request our phone number being placed on our state's no call list.

Within a month of being placed on the Indiana no call list I was down to 1 unsolicited telemarketer call per week, after having taken the steps of obtaining the names of the companies that were calling after registering on the no call list. Since then I get less than 1 call every month, probably closer to 1 call every 6 months.

Please, do not mess up a good thing by lessening the effectiveness of Indiana's Telephone Privacy law.